

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) An aerosol paint product comprising:
 - (a) a container comprising a can, a valve cup with a valve assembly, a dip tube and an actuator; and
 - (b) a magnetic aerosol paint composition disposed within said container, said magnetic aerosol paint composition comprising:
 - (i) at least one volatile organic solvent;
 - (ii) at least one film-forming resin;
 - (iii) ferromagnetic particles; and
 - (iv) a propellant selected from the group consisting of ethers, C1-C4 saturated hydrocarbons, hydrofluorocarbons, and mixtures of the foregoing[. . .];
- wherein the ferromagnetic particles are present at a level of at least 25% of the total weight of ferromagnetic particles, resin and organic solvent.
2. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1, wherein the propellant is a blend of n-butane and propane.

3. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the film-forming resin is selected from the group consisting of alkyd resins, aromatic hydrocarbon resins, and epoxy ester resins.
4. (original) The aerosol product of claim 3 wherein the resin is an alkyd.
5. (original) The aerosol product of claim 4 wherein the resin is a vinyl toluene modified alkyd.
6. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the aerosol paint composition is substantially free of water.
7. (original) The aerosol product of claim 1 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises a desiccant.
8. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises a whitening pigment.
9. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises an extender pigment.

10. (cancelled) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the ferromagnetic particles are present at a level of at least 25% of the total weight of ferromagnetic particles, resin, and organic solvent.

11. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the average particle size of the ferromagnetic particles is less than 10 microns.

12. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the average particle size of the ferromagnetic particle is from about 2 microns to about 7 microns.

13. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 1 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises an antistatic agent.

14. (currently amended) An aerosol paint product comprising:

- (a) a container comprising a can, a valve cup with a valve assembly, a dip tube and an actuator; and
- (b) a magnetic aerosol paint composition disposed within said container, said magnetic aerosol paint composition comprising:
 - (i) a solvent borne paint composition comprising:

[[25]] 20 to 50 weight percent film-forming resin;

25 to 50 weight percent ferromagnetic particles;

10 to 30 weight percent organic solvent; and
 - (ii) an aerosol propellant.

15. (original) The aerosol paint product of claim 14 wherein the solvent borne paint composition comprises:

- 20 to 35 weight percent film-forming resin;
- 30 to 40 weight percent ferromagnetic particles;
- 10 to 30 weight percent organic solvent.

16. (currently amended) A process of imparting magnetic properties to the surface of a substrate which process comprises:

- (1) providing an aerosol paint product comprising:
 - (a) a container comprising a can, a valve cup with a valve assembly, a dip tube and an actuator; and
 - (b) a magnetic aerosol paint composition disposed within said container, said magnetic aerosol paint composition comprising:
 - (i) at least one volatile organic solvent;
 - (ii) at least one film-forming resin;
 - (iii) ferromagnetic particles; and
 - (iv) a propellant selected from the group consisting of ethers, C1-C4 saturated hydrocarbons, hydrofluorocarbons, and mixtures of the foregoing[.];

- (2) applying the paint composition to a surface of a substrate by activating the actuator to create an aerosol spray of the paint composition;
- (3) directing the aerosol spray onto a surface of the substrate; and
- (4) allowing the paint composition to cure or dry[.];

wherein the ferromagnetic particles are present at a level of at least 25% of the total weight of ferromagnetic particles, resin and organic solvent.

17. (new) An aerosol paint product comprising:

- (a) a container comprising a can, a valve cup with a valve assembly, a dip tube and an actuator; and
- (b) a magnetic aerosol paint composition disposed within said container, said magnetic aerosol paint composition comprising:
 - (i) at least one volatile organic solvent;
 - (ii) at least one film-forming resin;
 - (iii) ferromagnetic particles; and
 - (iv) a propellant selected from the group consisting of ethers, C1-C4 saturated hydrocarbons, hydrofluorocarbons, and mixtures of the foregoing;

wherein the average particle size of the ferromagnetic particles is less than 10 microns.

18. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17, wherein the propellant is a blend of n-butane and propane.

19. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the film-forming resin is selected from the group consisting of alkyd resins, aromatic hydrocarbon resins, and epoxy ester resins.
20. (new) The aerosol product of claim 17 wherein the resin is an alkyd.
21. (new) The aerosol product of claim 17 wherein the resin is a vinyl toluene modified alkyd.
22. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the aerosol paint composition is substantially free of water.
23. (new) The aerosol product of claim 17 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises a desiccant.
24. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises a whitening pigment.
25. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises an extender pigment.
26. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the average particle size of the ferromagnetic particle is from about 2 microns to about 7 microns.

27. (new) The aerosol paint product of claim 17 wherein the aerosol paint composition comprises an antistatic agent.

28. (new) A process of imparting magnetic properties to the surface of a substrate which process comprises:

- (1) providing an aerosol paint product comprising:
 - (a) a container comprising a can, a valve cup with a valve assembly, a dip tube and an actuator; and
 - (b) a magnetic aerosol paint composition disposed within said container, said magnetic aerosol paint composition comprising:
 - (i) at least one volatile organic solvent;
 - (ii) at least one film-forming resin;
 - (iii) ferromagnetic particles; and
 - (iv) a propellant selected from the group consisting of ethers, C1-C4 saturated hydrocarbons, hydrofluorocarbons, and mixtures of the foregoing;
- (2) applying the paint composition to a surface of a substrate by activating the actuator to create an aerosol spray of the paint composition;
- (3) directing the aerosol spray onto a surface of the substrate; and
- (4) allowing the paint composition to cure or dry;

wherein the average particle size of the ferromagnetic particles is less than 10 microns.